## Nichmond Dispatch.

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THUESDAY ......JANUARY 13, 1876.

WEATHER REPORT. TANEN AT 7:85 A. M. JANUART

TI SPHINGS. Wind. Weather. Fall. Kirer. . w. Litsnow, 0.1 10 10 S. W. Cloudy.

THE WHATHER YES TERDAY was clear, cold, and mercoli. About sundown there was spew, but at night it was clear and

Trender at the Disputch office January 12, 1876. January 12, 1875. 30 | 3 P. M..... 31 6 P. M..... Midnight....

THE WEATHER TO-DAY .- The probabilities again will be partly cloudy and colder.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

Capitol Notes.

have at Delegates was crowded with sterday during the speeches of ex-Smith and Judge Crump on the of the la mat the proposition of the

diler, will be passed upon by committee until the result of at of lands is fully known. eate Committee on Roads and In-Navigation had the "railroad-war n der consideration for a short morning. On Friday the bear Mr. P. V. Daniel, coun-Richmond, Fredericksburg and lrand Company. ed that a majority of the mem-

Joint Committee on Tobacco Insate in favor of amending the laws provide for a voluntary system of Firshugh Lee will appear before

he lam gration Committee to-day and give is to what the State should do to the State Grange. we leto-lo settlers from Europe and

bell to charter the Richmond Instipoposes to incorporate Nathan Bishop, B. Capwell, Joseph B. Hoyt, William michvell, Henry K. Ellyson, James H. Righard Wells, Altred E. Dickin-Suppen Woodman a body politic properties to establish an institution of raing for colored persons in this city, for adequirese a lot of land with improvenis was conveyed to trustees in 1870. The bill before the Legislature introduced board of medical examiners to examine all applicants who, having previously received plama, desire to be licensed to practice. d appeals provides for the selecencuit judges, who shall act as special court, and be paid the as members of the General and continue to act for two years. to the sickness of Mojor John W man of the Senate Committee eges and Elections, the committee est vesterday to hear the argument Mr. James Nee-on in behalf of Colone The committee will meet to-day, or Daniel is expected to be pres

Jel E. Lettwich was vesterday appointed a neary public by Governor Kemper for Compbell county; also, William O. Yost and simuel D. May notaties for Tazawell county

CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS OF THE INTER NAL HEVESUE -At the late session of the nited States Circuit Court, at Alexandria, evenue law were found against E. Myers, proprietors of a distillery in Pe the same; and one against T. J. warrant was issued for the arrest of the accased, and an officer of the court yesterday brought the three from Petersburg to Rich

The bench-warrant was found to have been made returnable to the court at Richmond, applied, was doubtful of his right to admit ing the bureau. Mes-rs. John Lyon and John ephed: "I know nothing of the charge. fall is in the discretion of the commissioner. ought to demand enough to make the United states secure. They can go to jail, they o'ject to the commissioner's action, ull I reach Richmond on the 20th, or go to

With this advice Commissioner Atkins offered to bail. Myers and West each in the sum of \$10,000, and McCaleb in the sum of fore to-day they were committed to the cus- ed as to accomplish this object. the marshal for sate keeping last

The firm of distillers is M. & E. Myers. for M. Hyers. It is alleged that they deof tax by using stamps more than once.

THE PIRE PERFERDAY, -- About 92 o'clock in at Box 32 (corner of Twenty-fifth ill streets), caused by the partial draing of the roof of the large lead-colored udding was before the war occupied by best interests of our countrymen-social, hs Hancock and Peachy as a hospital for staves. It took the some time ago, it will be remembered, and at the time of the fire yesandly there was a dead body in the house.

FAST PRESSET TO THE WEST .- General Manager Dunn, of the Chesapeake and Obio Taliford, has made an arrangement recently perishable through freight is dissaid to the West by that road with very delay. Several freight cars have been siteful, passenger tracks put to them, and the cars attached to the 10 P. M. express train. These cars go through to Huntingof with the express train, and from Huntington the freight is forwarded by steamers. Barrage cars arranged for the same kind also go through.

CPANERS OF COMMERCE.-The regular mentaly meeting of the Board of Directors the standing committees are authorized work. and invited to be present at the meetings 2. That we approve the plan proposed of

TRAIN DELAYED .- The southward-bound mail train on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomae railroad due here at 1:30 P. sterday reached the city about 6:30, the plan of using able bodied convicts in our dollars. having been delayed at Potomac city by the engine jumping the track while on the Y,

just as preparations were being made to coupie up to the mail train. No damage was TEMPERANCE MEETING -There will be a temperance rally at Union-Station Methodist church to morrow night at 7½ o'clock. Good red was the following: Meaking are expected to address the meeting.

SECOND DAY'S PROC'ZEDINGS.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE'S REPORT

RESOLUTIONS DISPOSED OF.

ELECTION OF MASTER.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

The Grange met at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and was called to order by the Worthy Master. A number of delegates arrived and enrolled their names. The first business taken up was the

Report of Executive Committee. In obedience to the constitution the Exe cutive Committee beg leave to make the following full and detailed report of all their acts for your consideration:

GRANGE ORGAN. At the last meeting of the State Grange the committee to whom was referred the subject of establishing a Grange organ made a majority and a minority report, and the

grange, refusing to adopt either, referred the

subject to the Executive Committee. At our first meeting, held in January, immediately after the adjournment of the State Grange, we appointed a sub committee to advertise for proposals for the publication of a Grange paper. This sub-committee received proposals from Brother Wedderburn of the Granger, Brother Dickinson of the Planter and Farmer, Brother Rogers of the Eural Messenger, from the Grange Lookout (published in Tennessee), and from an anonymous party at Bristol through Brother J. B. Dunr, and made their report to your committee at a meeting held on the 9th of February. Your committee gave these proposals and the whole subject careful consideration, and decided that it was inexpedient to estab-

lish a Grange organ. The subject was again before the commit tee February 10th, and after discussion the question was indefinitely postponed.

FINANCE. The Commercial National Bank, of Petersburg, was selected as the bank of deposit for

the funds of the State Grange. The committee decided that it is expedient to return a portion of the charter-fees of those subordinate granges which were left destitute of funds after meeting expenses of organization, and recommend that restitution be made to the said subordinate granges by

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

The committee directed that the duties of the treasurer and secretary of the State Grange be prescribed as those fixed by the second and third sections of article vii. of the constitution of the National Grange, and that the business of their offices shall be conducted in accordance therewith.

They recommend that the fifth clause of section sever, article vi., of our State constitution be stricken out, and inserted after the second clause of section eight of said article, changing the word "secretary," in Judge Crump proposes to establish a the last line, to the word "treasurer." BUSINESS BUREAU.

who, having previously received desire to be licensed to practice.

The bonds of the local agents at the following places have been fixed at the follow-argued by Major W. F. C. Gregory for the this body be appointed to apply to the Counting amounts: Alexandria, \$50,000; Rich-appellants, and by Messrs. Collier & Budd cil of the city of Richmond for the appropriate to the following inscription also concentrate the counting amounts: Alexandria, \$50,000; Rich-appellants, and by Messrs. Collier & Budd cil of the city of Richmond for the appropriate to the counting amounts: Alexandria, \$50,000; Rich-appears on a plate at the base of the frontlet: The bonds of the local agents at the fol- Young, by &c., vs. Barnes and als. Partly ing amounts: Alexandria, \$50,000; Richmond, \$30,000; Petersburg, \$30,000; Norfolk, \$30,000; Danville, \$15,000; Lynchburg, \$15,000; Staunton, \$10,000; Farmville, \$10, 000; Fredericksburg, \$10,000. At all other points in the State the bonds of the agents Imprisonment. - In the Hustings Court yes- tural, and mechanical, and mining interests were fixed at not less than \$3,000 nor more than \$10,000, in the discretion of the chief Shields, charged with assaulting and cow- that they issue twelve thousand dollars of the of bureau.

> stitution be so amended as to require the local agents to give bonds. The bonds of these local agents have all been executed, and are now in the custody of the chief of bureau.

The treasurer, secretary, and chief of bureau were all bonded by the committee as follows: Treasurer in the sum of \$10,000; secretary in the sum of \$5,000; chief of bureau, \$20,000. And these bonds are all justification for an assault; but such words respects, and then adopted as expressive of in the hands of the proper custodian-the Worthy Master of the State Grange.

In fixing a tax upon the commissions of the agents to pay the salary and expenses of thing they were words spoken in dis- appropriation of three thousand dollars per the chief of bureau, as required by the con- paragement of the virtue, or chastity, or annum from the State; to turn over the prostitution, your committee gave more consideration, more time, and more work than of the man whose duty it was to protect her of the number of life-members decreasing them. For the details of this business we Such words were uttered by the prosecutor about one thousand five hundred), and to respectfully refer this worthy body to the in this case about the daughter of the put the Society in other respects under the report of our chief of bureau.

In the report for the list quarter you will find cheering indications in the increase of business in nearly all the agencies, promisand Commissioner Atkins, to whom accused ing better returns in the future for sustain-

As no more important subject can engage Wise, counsel for defence, telegraphed to Your attention at this session, we recommend Judge Bond for his opinion. Judge Bond that a committee be appointed on the business system of the order to report what changes are necessary to make it less expensive, more efficient, and in conformity with the constitution.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

It is clear that the number of subordinate granges in the State is now so large as to necessitate a reduction of the representatives in he State Grange on the score of efficiency and economy, and we therefore recommend Being unable to fix their bonds be- that article 3 of the constitution be so amend-

We recommend that the amendments to the constitution of the National Grange adopted at the ninth session of that body is understood that there is a warrant out be ratified. And we most respectfully and urgently recommend that you follow the exhanded the Government of a large amount ample of the National Grange in reduction of the salaries of the officers of the State Grange and in the enforcement of rigid economy in every department of your adsterday morning an alarm of fire was ministration. Let us live up to our principles, and practice the tenets of our brotherhood, and convince our friends and foes alike that we are earnest and faithful workers building on Twenty-sixth street south in the cause of progress and reform, true to Mair, occupied by colored persons. The the welfare of our order, and zealous for the educational, and industrial.

> LECTURER'S REPORT. The Committee on the Lecturer's Report stated that while approving the sentiments and recommendations therein contained they do not find anything requiring legislation by

> this body. LEGISLATION FAVORED. The following preamble and resolutions were referred to an appropriate committee, and will come up for action to-day, and pro-

bably be adopted: Whereas the State of Virginia is a stockof the entire stock of the James River and Kanawha Canal Company; and whereas the extension of that improvement to a conneced freight are attached to the day trains, and tion with the Chesapeake and Chio railroad at Clifton Forge is of vital importance to her

prospects; therefore be it Ressloed, 1. That we, the Patrons of Husbandry of this State, deeply interested in all of the Chamter of Commerce will be held that pertains to her welfare, view with deep this evening at 5½ o'clock. By a recently interest the success of the bill now pending adopted resulution of the Baard the members | before the Legislature to extend this great

of the Board and to participate in the discompany alone, without the assistance of the Federal Government, and deem it the best policy for Virginia to retain her interest and control in this great work. 3. That we heartily approve and commend

> penitentiary as laborers on this work, of nection with this great and vital scheme.

Amongst the resolutions offered and refer-Resolved, That it is the sense of this one grade each.

THE STATE GRANGE. grange that a more liberal system of education should be adopted, and that we earn estly recommend to our State Board of Education the propriety of devising means for a MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. continuance of the public schools in the rural districts for ten months during the year, paying the teachers a just percentage of their regular monthly pay for less than the average number of scholars.

BUSINESS BUREAU. The Chief of Bureau made a report, showing a large and rapidly-increasing amount of business done through the business agents of the order, giving marked evidence of fu-

ture success. CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS. The Committee on Constitution and By-Laws made a report, which was taken up article by article for consideration. The first amendment was rejected, and pending the discussion on the second the hour for closing arrived, and a recess was taken until half-past 3 o'clock.

Afternoon Session. The Grange assembled at half-past 3 o'clock and resumed the consideration of the proposed amendments, but soon gave way to hear the report of the treasurer. This re- finances to be about as follows: Cash on port shows receipts for the year of twelve hand January 1, 1876, \$1.000.72; indestedthousand two hundred and ninety-six dolfor the same period amount to eight thousand five hundred and fifteen dolllars and the month of March last, which blew ninety cents, leaving a balance on hand with down a large amount of fencing and the Privy Council of the Colony of the prothe balance on hand at the beginning of the caused other damage to the Society's year of five thousand seven hundred and property amounting to over \$3,000. eighty d. liars and eighty-seven cents.

The report was received and adopted, and of the proposed amendments to the consti-

THE AMENDMENTS.

Several of these amendments are necessary to barmonize the present constitution with the recent amendments to the constitution of to the details of the duties of the several officers of the Grange. Some of them, howficers of the Grange. Some of them, how-ever, are radical, and of importance to the being a considerable loss. We suggest Library. The engraved trontispiece in members of the order. One, adopted during that the printing account can be greatly this session, reduces the number of members that the printing account can be greatly this session, reduced by giving out the premium list to three, and makes the master chairman ex of- advertisers. These are some of the subjects of the Executive Committee from five to number of deputies.

Before concluding the proposed amendments the Grange took a recess until 7:30

Evening Session.

The Grange was called to order, and temporarily passing by the special order of business, resumed the consideration of that portion of the proposed amendments which relates to the salaries of officers : after which the election of officers was taken up, with the following result: Master, James M. Blanton, of Cumber-

nominated and strongly urged to allow his whereas the Centennial exhibition to be held name to be used, but positively declined to during the summer and fall in Philadelphia run. Notwithstanding this he received on will most probably detract a great deal from the first ballet a very flattering vote, being the attendance on State fairs; therefore

the next highest candidate. The Grange then, at 11:55 o'clock, adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock this morning. the Society it is in the opinion of this com-The other officers will be elected at the morn- mittee unwise to hold a fair during the year ing session to day.

and B. J. Epes for the appellees, and con- priation of the sum of five thousand dollars tipued until to-morrow.

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS, WEDNESDAY .-

terday the cases of A. Eichburg and Gus. of the State and city, or, as an alternative, hiding A. B. Goodman, were disposed of. city eight per cent. bonds, the interest on Your committee recommend that the con- Eichburg was tried, found guilty, and fined which shall be paid by the Society semi-anseventy-two dollars and fifty cents by the nually on the 1st of January and the 1st of ten dollars. Judge Guigon after the result was an-

nounced said that the verdict of the jury imposed upon him the duty of imposing such imprisonment as he thought was proper on the facts of the case; that it was true. and the law laid it down, that words are no and if there be any words which would portant features are those proposing to exmitigate an offence like this almost to no- empt the Society from taxation; to get an honor of a woman, and brought to the ears | perty of the Society to the State in the event upon any other business devolving upon because she was unable to protect herself. below one bundred (the present number is prisoner, and brought to his notice, and he general law in relation to incorporated compunished the offender. I shall impose the panies. shortest imprisonment-one day in jail.

> POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY .- R. O. GBTY and W. P. Ford were fined two dollars each for obstructing Canal street between Tenth and Eleventh streets with wood and lum-

C. E. Belvin, Henry Watkins, and John Gaines were fined two dollars each because their backs obstructed the sidewalk at the Richmond and Danville Railroad derô. John Harris and Joseph Meekins were fined

five dollars each for soliciting passengers at the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad de-William Pfeiffer was fined two dollars for

allowing his cows to run at large in the streets. The case of Virginia Bell (colored), charged with feloniously burning the dwelling-house

of Abram Bell in the night-time, was contipued until to-day. The case of Henry May (colored), charged with creating a disturbance in the house of and assaulting and striking Charles Court-

ney, was continued until to day. Allen Christian (colored), charged with as saulting T. E. Reed with rocks, was discharged, and Reed was required to pay costs John H. Vaughan, a sailor of the schooner Charles E. Woody, now lying in the dock was brought before the Police Justice on the charge of desertion. He was ordered to be locked up until the sailing of the vessel.

COUNTY COURT OF HENRICO-QUALIFICATI N OF A COLORED LAWYER .- A motion was submitted in the usual form by Judge Alfred Morton for the admission of Robert P. Brooks as a practising attorney at the bar of the cour', which application, after administering the usual oaths, was granted by the court.

The candidate in this case was a young colored man, a native of this city, and a son of A. P. Brooks, the livery-stable proprietor of Franklin street. He graduated at Lincoln College, in Western Pennsylvania, in 1871, in the usual collegiate course, and in law at Howard University, Washington, in 1875. holder to the extent of eighty-three per cent. It is his purpose to apply to Judge Guigon, of the Hustings Court, also, for admission to the bar of that court.

> THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH HOME -The annual meeting of the corporators of the Protestant Episcopal Church Home was held on Monday at the Home, No. 517 north Fourth street. The corporators found the institution to be in excellent condition financially and otherwise, and decided to increase the number of lady managers to twenty. The number beretofore was sixteen.

tors of the Home Mrs. B. F. Ladd was appointed a member of the board in place of At a recent meeting of the board of direc-

service amounted to about two hundred ever, accompanying the arms of the Virginis income consequently a beggarly and preca-

PROMOTIONS.—At a meeting of the Rich- was "En dat Virginia quintum," having 4. That we carnestly and respectfully appeal to the General Assembly to do all in its power to promote the ends in view in connection with this great and vitel scheme.

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1. That we carnestly and respectfully appeared to the five kingdoms, England, Colonel Joseph L. Chester, London, England, Ireland, and Virginia, land; Wilson Miles Cary, Jr., Esq., Bait and its lowing promotions were made: S. P. Hawes, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more, Md.; W. A. Whitehead, E. q., Newark, which was continued until the year 1707, when more in the first content to the first content geant; S. A. Lyon, third sergeant; H. A. England and Scotland became one kingdom Mr. J.; Dr. L. P. Bush, Wilmington, Del. Morton, fourth sergeant; and W. E. Simons, by act of Parliament of that date under the fifth sergeant. The corpora's were advanced title of Great Britain. After 1707, as one king-

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

NO FAIR NEXT FALL UNLESS RICHMOND WILL HELP-PROPOSED NEW CHARTER-ADVISORY BOARDS.

An adjourned meeting of the Executive Committee of the State Agricultural Society was held at the Ballard House last night-Colonel W. C. Knight, the president, in the chair. The committee to whom was referred the treasurer's account submitted the following report :

RICHMOND, VA., January 12, 1876. To the Executive Committee of the Virginia State Agricultural Society:

Gentlemen,-Your committee appointed to examine the accounts of the treasurer beg leave to report that they have performed their duty, and it gives them pleasure to say that they find them correct and neatly kept, with proper vouchers for all disbursements. We find the condition of the Society's ness, in round numbers, \$13,000, which is The gate-fees of 1875 fall short of 1874 \$1,-393.18. Your committee are of opinion that a the Grange proceeded to the consideration great many of the bills paid by the Society are very extravagant, and that a large reduction in the expenditures of the Society can and to that of the seal of the province, and is ought to be made. Unless the expenses are reduced to an amount equal to the receipts we had better discontinue our fairs. We recommend that the refreshments at the president's office be discontinued, and

be rented to private parties, which reduced by giving out the premium list to ficio. Another gives power to increase the that we know can be greatly reduced, and that the reduction in the aggregate would be large enough to enable the Society to meet its obligations and continue its fairs .- W. A. BUREF, JAMES NEWMAN, ROBERT BEVEBLEY, and S. P. Moore.-Adopted.

> TAIR OR NO FAIR. Colonel Beverley, of Montgomery county,

offered the following: Whereas the report of the Finance Committee shows that not withstanding the favorable auspices under which the fair of 187; was held, there having been an unusual attendance of visitors in Richmond, the Society The present Master, Mr. J. W. White, was has largely increased its indebtedness; and

> can be devised to reduce the indebtedness of 1876.

Resolved, That unless some other resource

RICHMOND TO THE RESCUE. Colonel Knight offered the following:

Resolved. That a committee of three of to aid the Society in holding its fairs and promoting its other legit mate objects, con-THE COWHIDING CASE-A FINE AND LIGHT ducive to the improvement of the agricul-Shields pleaded guilty, and was fined July, and the principal to be satisfactorily secured. Adopted.

The committee appointed consists of Mr. Dod-on, of Petersburg, and Colonel Knight and Dr. Moore, of Richmond.

THE CHARTER. The amended charter drafted by Colonel Knight was read over and modified in some were admitted as evidence in mitigation; the wish of the committee. The most im-

> A committee consisting of Colonel Knight, Dr. Moore, and Mojor Drewry was appointed to present the charter to the Legislature.

ADVISORY EDARDS. President Knight appointed the following advisory boards:

Department 1 .- S. P. Moore, W. T. Scott W. T. Sutberlin. Department 2 .- W. A. Burke, A. H Drewry, J. D. Rogers. Department 3 .- S. P. Moore, Monroe Bannister, John Dodson.

Department 4.-B. J. Barbour, M. G. Eilzey, G. S. Meem. Department 5 .- S. P. Ficklin, John T. Cowan, W. T. Scott. Department 6. S. S. Bradford, Robert

Beverely, M. G. Elizey. Department 7 .- James Newman, G. S. Meem, B. J. Birbour. Department 8 .- Monroe Bannister, B. Barbour, and Randoiph Harrison. Department 9.-A. H. Drewry, W. T.

Scott, J. D. Rogers. Adjourned to meet on second Tuesday in

VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

THE COLONIAL SEALS OF VIRGINIA-THE OLD DOMINION THE FIFTH REALM OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE-THE FIDELITY OF THE HOUDON STATUE-MEMOIRS OF GOV-ERNOR JAMES WOOD AND OF THE HIS-TORIC TRIOSJAMES, PHILIP P., AND JOHN S. BARROUR-CORRESPONDENCE OF THE THREE COLONELS BYRD.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Virginia Historical Society was recently held at the residence of W. Wirt Henry, Esq. Present: Messrs. William Green, chairman; R. A. Brock, corresponding secretary; G. A. Barksdale, recording secretary; A. M. Keiley, Judge B. R. Wellford, Jr., W. A. Maury, W. W. Henry, Dr. William P. Palmer, and Colonel H. C. Cabell.

Mr. Brock, as a sub-committee on the Corporate Seal, a design of which was presented by him at the last meeting of the Executive Committee, suggested as an addition thereto the insertion in the space above the joint offices of embalmer, exponent, and arms of the inscription Organized 29th December, 1831; which was the date of the institution of the Society. He read to the claims which cannot be idly met or denied. meeting a comprehensive account of the The sum of \$1,000 annually, if no more various colonial seals of Virginia, which could be conceded, and the publishing of the

of a seal for the Colony is that upon the titlepage of The New Life in Virginia, London, 1612, which is the second part or continuation of "Noua Britannia," and is a little The collection taken up at St. James Company, but with the motto "Pro Concondition of our people, its collections for another on the occasion of the recent joint solio suo Virginianae." The motto, however, and membership are very irregular and its France, Scotland, Ireland, and Virginia, and; Wilson Miles Cary, Jr., Esq., Bait which was continued until the year 1707, when and solution became one kingdom by act of Parliament of that date under the by act of Parliament of that date under the dom was absorbed, four only remained, and highly interesting paper was dom was absorbed, four only remained, and highly interesting paper was described and solution. The same to the understance of the Society.

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In the valuable introduction, by Dr. William P. Palmer, to the carefully edited " Catender of Virginia State Papers" are to be found descriptions of the various

SEALS OF THE COLONY,

which were borne by the papers passing under the inspection of the pains-taking editor, yet it does not appear therein that any examples of the use of the great or broad, pendant seal are to be found among our State Bord, of Westover, covering the period records prior to the reign of Queen Anne. 1676-1783, transcribed from the originals, dant seal are to be found among our State The obverse bore the arms and inscriptions of the seal of Great Britain, whilst the reverse represented an Indian presenting a tribute of tobacco to an effigy of royalty agreeing in sex with that of the monarch regnant, with the legend in exergue of "Segillum Provinciae Dr Virginianae in America, and another, beneath the arms, of " En dat Virginia quartam," which design is proposed as the second quartering of the seal of the Virginia Historical Society.

The seals passing under the inspection of Dr. Palmer were in all instances wafered imthousand two hundred and ninety-six dol- less, in round numbers, expenses an increase over last year. This increase of the mother country in the distinctive was caused in a great measure by a storm in motte applying to the Colony. He mentions the appearance upon one paper of the use by vincial seal with the abbreviated motto "Sigilli. Priv. Concil." The use of the seal of the London Company of Virginia appears and make report at the next monthly meetto have been continued by the House of Burgesses down to the era of our Revolutionary struggle, but with the motto corresponding borne upon the title pages of the collected "Acts of the Virginia Assembly in Force," published in the several years 1752, 1754, and 1769,-all of which volumes are in the library of Mr. Brock-and upon the bookplate marking the volumes belonging to the library of the council chamber of the Colony, Library. The engraved trontispiece in Beverley's History of Virginia, edition of 1722, presents the

ARMS OF THE VIRGINIA COMPANY. with the early motto, "En dat Virginia quintum." An additional admission of the claims of Virginia to integral regal honors may be found in the following: In "The American Historical and Literary Curlosities," second series, John Jay Smith editor, folio, New York, 1860, No. 6, plate xxxix. there appears an engraved representation of a silver frontlet, or coronal insignia, presented by King Charles the Second to the queen of Pamunkey, an early potentate of the tribe whose descendants, at Indiantown, King William county, are still protected by the State of Virginia in certain privileges and immunities conceded them in the past. The frontlet assimilates the oblong in shape, the widest and longest portions presenting a measurement of four and a balf by six inches, the arms in the centre within the garter bearing the motto "Honi soil qui mal y pense," being-first and fourth, a quartering of the arms of England and France second, a triangular bordure bearing a lion rampant and surrounded by eight fleur de lys; third, the arms of Ireland; the whole surrounded by the inscription "> Charles the Second, King of England, > Scotland, Ireland, France, and Virginia × ." Crest: "The queene of Pamunkey." The whole

enclosed in a graceful scroll-mork. THE BROAD, PENDANT SEAL appears to have been in use until the severance of the allegiance of the Colony to the mother country, but it seems only to have been used in affirmation of royal prerogative, appearing only as the appendage to grants of land and to royal proclamations, the seal of the Petersburg Railroad Company will comvice-royalty in other instances of less import mence the erection of a bridge over their being a small pendant in white wax, crowntrack where it intersects Cowardin avenue. shaped. Examples of the use of the broad seal of the reigns of Queen Anne and the Third George, and of the smaller seal issued during the governments of Spotswood and Fauquier, are in the possession of Mr. Brock.

Hopes are entertained of further information concerning the use and warrant of the severally described seals from W. Noel Sainsbury, E q., of the British State Paper office, London, who is an honorary member of the Virginia Historical Society.

He also informed the committee that Andrew W. Kercheval, Esq., of Romney, W. Va., a grandson of the historian of the Valley, had at his command very valuable manuscript materials regarding the life of Colonel James Wood, Governor of Virginia being his private papers, rich in correspondence with Washington, Jefferson, Madison Monroe, ard other worthics of the period, and that he was willing to undertake the preparation of the same for publication. A resolution was adopted commending

Mr. Kercheval's undertaking. The corresponding secretary read extracts from a number of letters exhibiting an interest in the Society and offering

AID AND INFORMATION regarding its aims and objects; among them one from a communication from Colonel Thomas H. Ellis, of Chicago, Ill., stating that B. Johnson Barbour, E.q., had intimated to him that he would prepare for the Society memoirs of the distinguished trio whom he represents-James, Philip Pendleton, and John S. Barbour-probably during

the present winter. A proposition from Mr. Grigsby, the president of the Society, was presented looking towards the securing of a fire-proof building in which to preserve the historic treasures of the institution, which are of great value, comprising some eight thousand bound volumes, more than one thousand pamphlets, about twenty-five excellent portraits of personages of historic distinction connected with the annals of our State, several busts, manu- gestion, cures dyspensia, nervousness, debility

scripts, autograph letters, relies, &c. Mr. Grigsby proposes the effort to secure by gift from the State or from some largehearted individual a lot on which to erect a suitable building, and the obtaining by subscription the sum of \$10,000 for the structure from say ten subscribers of \$500 and fifty of \$100 each, the money not to be paid until the full sum be subscribed, and that the subscriptions be divided into two annual payments. He offers to head the list at the

larger sum stated. He mentions the fact that Major William Duyal was the executor of Chancellor Wythe, and came into the possession of his private papers, which contained also those of Mr. Keith, the ancestor of Mr. Wythe and a writer of eminence. The present whereabouts of these papers is a matter of solicitude to the Society.

It was proposed that an effort be made to

INTEREST THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY in the objects of the Society, which in its vindicator of history, traditions, glory, and renown of the Old Dominion presents from its interest is presented concisely here : annual collections of the Society by the State Probably one of the earliest appearances Printer, would be a contributed sustenance of the most vital importance, the inspiring effects of which would be speedily apparent, it was claimed, in the increased popularity and prosperity of the Society and a corre spondingly enlarged scope of usefulness.

The Society is forced to make this appear known as the escutcheon of the Virgic a to the State because, from the impoverished The names of the following gentlemen

the seal of Queen Anne then bore the motto read by Colonel Sherwin McRea vindicating "En dat Virginia quartam," in accordance

in our State capitol as the most faithful and the only exact portraiture of the entire person of Washington extant. The paper was prepared because of some criticisms which have been made by Messrs. B. J. Lossing and H. T. Tuckerman upon the statements advanced by Colonel McRae in his monograph of the statue, published by the State Senate

a year or so since.

The correspondence of the three Colonels This scal was of white wax papered, and which are preserved at Lower Brandon, the measured in diameter five and a quarter hospitable scat of the Harrisons, on the inches, and in thickness five eighths of an inch. James, were submitted to the committee for publication by the Society by an accomplished lady of Richmond, a grand-daughter of the third Colonel Byrd. She has not only devotedly taxed herself with the drudgery incident upon the copying of faded and timeworn manuscripts, but has also prepared an introduction, which is a truly graceful and highly interesting prelude, presenting much of tradition and genealogic history not commonly known. The letters themselves delineate most valuable pictures of the social life, wants, and usages of our ancestors of the colonial era, and many an incident of import to the historian is shadowed forth. It is designed to embellish the work with photographs of representative portraits from the graphs of representative portraits from the old seats on the Lower James. A sub-committee, consisting of Messrs. Maury, Henry, Keiley, Palmer, and Brock, was appointed by the chairman to examine the manuscript and make report at the next monthly meet-

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF TRUE REFORMERS
(COLORED).—Mount Moriah Fountain, No. 4, has installed the following officers—Grand Master Brown officiating: Jane Porter, W. M.; Julia Diggs, W. M.; Amanda Cabell, W. G.; Clara Johnson, W. T.; Lena Jackson, W. C.; Mary S. Harris, W. A. G.; son, W. C.; Mary S. Harris, W. A. G. Lucy Robinson. W. Sc.; Nancy Lee, W. Se.; Mary Brown, W. P. G.; Bertie Witt, W. R. H. S.; Harriet Smith, W. L. H. S.; Harriet Robinson, W. P. M.; E. V. Brown, W.

Charters have been granted to organize lodges of True Reformers at the following places: Pine Top, Middlesex; Gloucester Courthouse, and Portsmouth, Va. New Fire-Plues .- The Council Commit

sounded from the automatic station at Ford's Hotel yesterday evening to take two unfortunates away from a neighboring doctor's

office. They were overcome by the cold.

ANNUAL BALL .- This evening Company G, First regiment Virginia volunteers, will give their annual bail at Levy's Hall. Voegler's band will furnish the music for the occasion, which promises in every way to be a decided success.

MANCHESTER NEWS.

Lashed .- Nick Taylor (colored) was or dered to receive ten stripes yesterday by Mayor Chiles for stealing two sticks of wood from E. Bower. A policeman executed the command.

Off the Track .- The ergine and tender attached to a material train on the Danville road ran off the track near the shops on Tuesday night about 12 o'clock. The accident was caused by a mispliced switch. The only damage done was a short delay and the time consumed in replacing the engine upon the The Proposed Cowardin-Avenue Bridge.

It is expected that during the coming week

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